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## ORDINANCE NO. 997.

Revision of Ordinances of the City of Cape Girardeau; the publication thereof; prescribing what additional matter shall be incorporated therein and appointment of committee.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAPE GIRARDEAU, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS.

Section (1). Revision Shall Contain What.—The ordinances of the City of Cape Girardeau now in force, and all ordinances hereafter passed and approved before the publication of the ordinances hereinafter provided for, shall be revised and amended so as to conform to the law of the State of Missouri, governing cities of the Third class, and when so revised and amended, shall contain the sections of all ordinances amendatory of previous ordinances, which shall be incorporated in the proper place or section of the ordinance amended; and all pertaining to one subject shall be under one title, so far as applicable; and all existing ordinances ordained before or during revision, not the subject of revision, shall be published in their appropriate places in the volume of revised ordinances.

Section (2). Additional Matter to be Published.—The following additional matter shall be published: Sec. 7, Art. 9, and such other sections of the Constitution of the State of Missouri as shall be deemed applicable to cities of the Third class; Article 4 of Chapter 84, Revised Statutes of Missouri 1909, and all thereof or concerning cities of the Third class, which shall be prefixed to the ordinances revised and amended.

The following shall be published in an appendix:

(1) All permanent ordinances of the city.  
(2) The deed of the heirs of Don Louis Lorimier to the inhabitants of the town of Cape Girardeau, to the land on which said town was originally surveyed.  
(3) The names of the officers of the City of Cape Girardeau, composing the municipal government from 1843 to 1912, inclusive.

Section (3). Consecutive Numbering of Sections.—In the preparation of the revised ordinances for publication the sections of said revised ordinances shall be numbered so that it shall be successive and uniform, and without omissions from the first section to the close of the volume. The current number of the ordinances and the numbers of the original sections in parenthesis, shall also be retained.

Suitable head lines and sub-heads shall be prepared and such apt catch words for each ordinance and section thereof as will indicate briefly the subject matter of the same, on the revision.

Section 4. Printing.—How Contracted For.—The Mayor and Council shall let the contract for printing the ordinances of the city in such a manner as they may deem best for the interest of the city and may determine by resolution by whom, at what price, quality and style, and how many copies shall be printed.

Section (5). Appointment of Revision Committee.—The Mayor shall appoint three members of the City Council as a Committee, to be known as the Revision Committee, whose duties shall be to carry out the provisions of this ordinance.

Said Committee shall also prepare the order in which the ordinances shall be presented, together with a complete index thereof, and perform such other duties as shall be necessary in the revision and publication of the revised ordinances of the city.

Said committee shall have authority when the revision of the ordinances is completed to ask for proposals for printing the revised ordinances of the city and submit said proposals to the City Council for its action in the matter.

Section (6). Duty of the City Clerk.—The City Clerk shall direct and superintend the printing of the revised ordinances and other matter herein required; collate with and correct by the original rolls the proof sheets of the printed copies, and when the whole are printed, he shall note all errors which have been committed and cause memoranda thereof to be annexed, together with an attestation under his hand and seal that he has collated the ordinances therein contained with the original rolls in his office and corrected the same thereby. For such services the City Council shall allow him a reasonable compensation.

Section (7). All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict or inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed by the Council this 18th day of December, 1911.

F. A. KAGE,  
President of the Council.  
Approved this 18th day of December, 1911.

[SEAL.] F. A. KAGE,  
Mayor.  
Attest:  
GEO. E. CHAPPELL,  
City Clerk.

### Our Boys.

Just what is to become of my boy has been a perplexing question and the source of much anxiety on the parent's part. It will always be a source of worry and much concern. Last week in Caruthersville a batch of boys were arraigned in the Circuit court and sentenced to the reformatory school for their misdeeds, of a felonious nature. They were paroled, and it is hoped that they will not violate the terms of their parole. They were not street gamins, but boys of good parents and good training. There might have been a laxity of discipline, the reins might have loosened on their going and coming. At any rate they went to the bad, step by step. The world knew of their first misdeeds, but the parents did not. The world shakes its head hypocritically, and wags its tongue unmercifully, but is too cowardly to give the warning to those who should and are entitled to know. The guiding, parental hand might have called them back if it had only known, possibly not. Give your boy education, careful home training, and instill in his mind high ideals, and the chances are that he won't go far wrong. This is the safe way.—Dexter Messenger.

Charles Gaber, a buyer of Jerseyville has acquired a six legged hog as a mascot. The hog was raised on the farm of the Vaughn Brothers—six in number—three miles east of Jerseyville. When the cholera began to attack swine the Vaughn Brothers decided to sell the freak pig. Charles Campbell of Jerseyville purchased him at the regular market price of \$5.60 a hundred and sold the animal to Garber at a small profit.

### Negro Saved From Mob By Kentucky Sheriff.

The St. Louis Times says a mob of several hundred white men near Fulton, Ky., tried to take Reaul Barfield, a negro, from the sheriff last Monday night and lynch him. The negro shot and killed Frank and Lewis Ramsey, two white men with families. When it was learned that the sheriff had captured the negro a mob gathered. The Sheriff stayed in the woods until midnight and rushed into Fulton just in time to catch a train for Paducah, where the negro was put in jail.

### Time To Act.

We have heard that twin dolls are coming in style. For heaven's sake let's not let that idea get into the heads of children. If they are reared to such ideals the time will soon come when the population will increase faster than the potato crop. An ordinary amount of mother instinct, seasoned with sweet modesty, is a delightful thing but—well we think it unwise—this 'twin doll' fad.—Bernie Star.

Editor of The Star shows a fatherly instinct for his subscribers by denouncing the "twin doll fad." But while discussing the propriety of dolls why not mention the old-fashioned rag doll that us editors once played with, which has taught so many to "chew the rag." Besides, the rag doll is not so expensive as these new-fangled twins mentioned in the Star. However, we refuse to elaborate on the subject of twin babies; they are the embodiment of fashion and good taste in any age, the expense in bringing them up on a dollar a day salary being the most undesirable feature connected with twins. Perhaps the editor of the Star is sad because he has no twin brother to take his place in the event of death or deprivation of his editorial faculties?

### Origin Of The Dog.

It has been supposed that the dog, like the jackal, descended from a special race. Examinations of the skulls of the canidae in the museum of the French Academy of Sciences shows that nearly all of the jackal and wolf species differ from those of the little wolf of India. The little wolf of India is the only wild beast possessing the salient eyebrow or crest of the dog. The little wolf has not only the dog's eyebrow crest, but all the canine characteristics and none of the characteristics of the wolf. It is presumable that the little wolf of India was the original ancestor of the dog. The two primitive canine races, the "dog of the bogs and the dog of the age of bronze," were domesticated first in Asia and were introduced into Europe from Asia, like most of the domestic animals of Europe.—Harper's Weekly.

### The Strength of Rings.

Some elaborate calculations, backed by experiments, have been made to determine the "breaking strength" of rings. It appears that a ring of ductile material like malleable iron will be pulled out into the form of a long link before it breaks, and that the ultimate strength of the ring is virtually independent of its diameter. Fracture finally occurs as the result of almost pure tension, and the resistance to breaking is a little less than twice that of a rod of the same cross section subjected to a straight pull. As the ring in-

creases in diameter there appears to be a slight approach toward equality, with double the strength of a bar. Thus a 3-inch ring made of three-quarter-inch iron broke at 19½ tons; a four-inch ring at 19.9 tons, and a 6-inch ring at 20 tons, the strength of a bar of the same metal being 10½ tons.—Harper's Weekly.

### Bachelors Issue Catalog.

Scarcity of marriageable young women in Grant County, Kan., has caused the bachelors of the county, which is thirty-five miles from a railroad, to band together to obtain wives.

The catalogue of the organization, "Grant County Bachelors' Club," gives the name and qualifications of each of the thirty-five members. The catalogue says:

"The purpose is to present a list of good, honest men for the women tired of single blessedness to look over and pick from, assuring them that only prizes will be drawn."

The catalogue, which contains photographs of each of the members and a list of property he owns, is to be sent all over the United States.

### Marriage License Issued.

Thos. E. Seabaugh, Daisy.  
Annie Avis Drum, "  
Albert J. Bettie, Jackson.  
Eunice L. Hinkle, "  
Sam I. DeMoss, Edwardsport, Ind.  
Blanche Cox, Allenville.  
John Lively, Louisville, Ky.  
Cary Leechilders, Princeton, Ky.  
John Rymer, East Cape, Ill.  
Eveline Colyer, "  
Philip W. Crites, Sedgewickville, Mo.  
Myrtle Moore, "  
Warren Sheppard, Cape.  
Alpha Brown, "  
Louis Carter, Jackson, Ill.  
Dora Firestone, Murphysboro, Ill.  
Albert Maevers, Cape.  
Laura Lueder, Egypt Mills.  
Wm. H. Ralls, Elco, Ill.  
Eva Bradley, "  
Gilbert Gohn, Neelys Landing.  
Florence A. Littleton, Pocatontas.  
Louis L. Blumenberg, Allenville.  
Ella S. Eggimann, White-water.  
Lawrence Randol, Cape.  
Susie Easily, "  
Ebbie Pyatt, Cape.  
Sylvia Jones, "  
Geo. F. Hanschen, Gordonville.  
Sophie Eggimann, Dutchtown.  
Harrison Hill, Cape.  
Lizzie Moore, "  
Ernst G. Fisher, Cape.  
Chloe Kassel, "

The New York American says: Two rooms and a kitchenette cause many a divorce, according to Judge Conley of Los Angeles, in which city there is one divorce to every three marriages. When the Judge received the county clerk's figures showing this alarming record of broken matrimonial ties, he declared that the devil, aided by the restricted accommodations and the idle life or the apartment house women, was responsible for the great divorce list. He would seek to remedy it in this way: "Let the women keep in the open and take care of a flower or a vegetable garden," and then he adds: "Eighty per cent of the men in California earn about \$75.00 a month and some women spend a month's salary buying a feather for their hats."

### Reelfoot Lake Is Private.

Court Decides Against Tennessee—Figured in Night Riders' Battles.

Reelfoot Lake, a big earthquake-made hunting and fishing depression in Western Tennessee, belongs to a private corporation and not to the state, which had laid claim to it, according to the Circuit Court. The case will be appealed.

Reelfoot Lake was the scene of the greatest violence during the night rider disorders.

### "The Murphys"

Drafts consequent on repairing the house in the Central Park menagerie where the hippos, known as the Murphy family, are kept, has caused Mrs. Murphy to develop a heavy head cold. "Bill" Snyder, the head keeper, discovered her plight when he saw large tears rolling down her cheeks, and heard frequent sneezes which sounded a great deal like the steam exhaust on a locomotive. Unless Mrs. Murphy shows decided improvement she will be given a large "ball" of booze and some quinine. Mrs. Murphy during her lifetime has had only one drink of whisky and that was years ago when she nearly had pneumonia.—New York Tribune.

A special to the St. L. Times from Springfield says:—The Court of Claims, Washington, has allowed Greene county the sum of \$6010 rental for use of the county court house and jail during the Civil war. The old court house was used a hospital and is now the executive building of the county. Claims were filed in February 1907 for \$10,000 by the county, an investigation conducted by government attorneys resulting in the claim being paid. The court house, jail, First Christian and St. Paul M. E. churches were all used as hospitals following the battle of Wilson Creek, ten miles west of here. The churches have been paid.

### Rabbits Are Dying From Peculiar Disease.

Our young friend J. F. Aubuchon, of near French Village, was in Farmington yesterday and reports the rabbits are dying in large numbers in their locality from some peculiar and unknown disease, believed by some to be tuberculosis. We have also heard several others comment on this matter. In fact, while out hunting ourselves, we have often lately come upon dead rabbit, but thought nothing of it, supposing it had been injured by some hunter.—Farmington News

An Exchange says a hog was recently on exhibition at Columbia which stands thirty inches high, measures eleven inches around the smallest part of the leg, measures seven feet and four inches around the body and nine feet from the tip of the nose to the end of the tail and weighs 1,100 pounds. This is said to be one of the largest hogs in the State.

W. H. Angel brought to the Critic office a few days ago, a buffalo fish that had no mouth, which was caught by Will Clifton in the bay near his home. Mr. Clifton reports having caught several like it. This one was about 14 inches long. Its only means of sustenance, was drawing food through its gills.—Portageville Critic.

### Richest Depository.

What is the world's greatest treasure house? A good many people would tell you it is the Bank of England, yet there are only \$180,000,000 in that depository. The United States mint in Denver is far and away the richest building in the world. In its vaults at present are \$445,000,000 in gold coin and gold bullion, or more than the total gold production of the world for 1909. During that year, the latest one for which figures are available, the gold coinage of the nations amounted to more than \$327,000,000 and the consumption of gold in the arts to more than \$113,000,000.

The United States plans to deposit more than \$600,000,000 in the Denver mint, but even that staggering sum seems small when compared to the deposits in the banks of the country at the first of the month. They reached a total of \$14,000,000,000. On the whole, it does not seem as though Uncle Sam would have any difficulty in buying Christmas presents.—New York American.

### Something Entirely New.

An announcement of more than ordinary interest is made elsewhere in this issue by the St. Louis Globe Democrat. That sterling newspaper now sends out as a part of the Friday issue of its "Twice-a-Week" edition, an Agricultural and Family Magazine section of eight pages, with outside covers in colors, containing good stories, useful farm information, valuable hints to housekeepers and many other features of interest to every member of the family. Moreover it offers to accept subscriptions for the paper, including the Magazine section, at the special rate of One Dollar for Two Years, or for Two Yearly subscriptions in the same order. The regular price of the paper alone is one dollar per year. This special offer will be open until further notice, but may be withdrawn at any time. Read the announcement and send in your order promptly.

Mr. Scott of this city, who had been troubled for several years with stomach trouble, caused by a tape worm, called in physicians to expel same, and all being unable to get more than a few feet at a time, Dr. McClain and the Indian Doctor, No. 20 Main Street, was called in and the tape worm was expelled in twenty minutes, it measuring 108 feet. Any person troubled with a tape worm can have it removed free of charge by Drs. McClain and James. W. A. SCOTT, No. 22 Main Street.

### GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

Insane Ward.  
Notice is hereby given that, on November 15, 1911, the undersigned was appointed guardian of the person and estate of H. C. Brooks, an insane person, by the Probate Court of Cape Girardeau County, Mo., and that letters bearing date November 15, 1911, were issued to him.

All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them to the undersigned for allowance within one year from date of said letters; and if they be not presented within two years they will be forever barred.

Lewis P. Lett, Guardian.

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